



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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February 20, 2013

Mr. Ron Bircher
Hunters Water District
P.O. Box 103
Hunters, Washington 99137

Re: Superseding Ground Water Permit No. G3-22369

Dear Mr. Bircher:

Enclosed is your superseding permit to be retained for your records. Please read the enclosed information sheet, as well as your entire superseding permit.

Our information indicates you have begun construction of your project. We are enclosing a *Construction Notice* form. Once you finish construction, submit the completed form to this office. **If you cannot complete your project by December 1, 2013, you must contact this office to apply for an extension.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at 509-329-3585.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Karen Tusa", is written over a horizontal line.

Karen Tusa
Water Resources Program
Eastern Regional Office

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Enclosures: Superseding Permit
Construction Notice
Important Information About Your Water Right

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY
SUPERSEDING PERMIT

THIS PERMIT SUPERSEDES GROUND WATER PERMIT NO. G3-22369 ISSUED OCTOBER 17, 1983
TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

- ☐ Surface Water (Issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 117, Laws of Washington for 1917, and amendments thereto, and the rules and regulations of the Department of Ecology.)
- ☒ Ground Water (Issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws of Washington for 1945, and amendments thereto, and the rules and regulations of the Department of Ecology.)

PRIORITY DATE January 14, 1974	APPLICATION NUMBER G3-22369	PERMIT NUMBER G3-22369	CERTIFICATE NUMBER
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NAME Hunters Water District, Ron Bircher			
ADDRESS (STREET) P.O. Box 103	(CITY) Hunters	(STATE) Washington	(ZIP CODE) 99137

The applicant is hereby granted a permit to appropriate the following public waters of the State of Washington, subject to existing rights and to the limitations and provisions set herein.

PUBLIC WATERS TO BE APPROPRIATED

Source Three (3) wells
TRIBUTARY OF (IF SURFACE WATERS)

MAXIMUM CUBIC FEET PER SECOND	MAXIMUM GALLONS PER MINUTE 200	MAXIMUM ACRE FEET PER YEAR 31
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QUANTITY, TYPE OF USE, PERIOD OF USE 200 gallons per minute, 31 acre feet per year, annually, for continuous domestic supply.
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LOCATION OF DIVERSION/WITHDRAWAL

APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF DIVERSION--WITHDRAWAL					
LOCATED WITHIN (SMALLEST LEGAL SUBDIVISION) Well 2: NE¼NW¼ Well 3: NW¼NE¼ Well 4: E½NW¼; All within	SECTION 7	TOWNSHIP N. 30 N.	RANGE, (E. OR W.) W.M. 37 E.	W.R.I.A. 58	COUNTY Stevens

RECORDED PLATTED PROPERTY

LOT	BLOCK	OF (GIVE NAME OF PLAT OR ADDITION)
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LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY ON WHICH WATER IS TO BE USED

The place of use of this water right is the service area described in the most recent Water System Plan approved by the Washington State Department of Health, so long as the water system is and remains in compliance with the criteria in RCW 90.03.386(2). RCW 90.03.386 may have the effect of revising the place of use of this water right.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED WORKS

Three (3) wells

DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

BEGIN PROJECT BY THIS DATE: STARTED	COMPLETE PROJECT BY THIS DATE: December 31, 2013	WATER PUT TO FULL USE BY THIS DATE: December 31, 2018
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PROVISIONS

In accordance with WAC 173-160, wells shall not be located within certain minimum distances of potential sources of contamination. These minimum distances shall comply with local health regulations, as appropriate. In general, wells shall be located at least 100 feet from sources of contamination. Wells shall not be located within 1,000 feet of the boundary of a solid waste landfill.

All water wells constructed within the State shall meet the minimum standards for construction and maintenance as provided under RCW 18.104 (Washington Water Well Construction Act of 1971) and Chapter 173-160 WAC (Minimum Standards for Construction and Maintenance of Water Wells).

Total diversion from the three wells for Water Right Permit No. G3-22369 shall not exceed 200 gpm and 31 acre feet per year.

All wells shall be tagged with a Department of Ecology unique well identification number. This tag shall remain attached to the well. If you are required to submit water measuring reports, reference this tag number.

Required installation and maintenance of an access port as described in WAC 173-160-291(3).

An approved measuring device shall be installed and maintained for each of the sources identified herein in accordance with the rule "Requirements for Measuring and Reporting Water Use", Chapter 173-173 WAC. Water use data shall be recorded weekly and maintained by Hunters Water District for a minimum of five years, and shall be promptly submitted to Ecology upon request.

The rule above describes the requirements for data accuracy, device installation and operation, and information reporting. It also allows a water user to petition Ecology for modifications to some of the requirements. Installation, operation and maintenance requirements are enclosed as a document entitled "Water Measurement Device Installation and Operation Requirements".

Department of Ecology personnel, upon presentation of proper credentials, shall have access at reasonable times, to the records of water use that are kept to meet the above conditions, and to inspect at reasonable times any measuring device used to meet the above conditions.

The water source and/or water transmission facilities are not wholly located upon the land owned by the applicant. Issuance of a permit by this Department of appropriation of the waters in question does not convey a right of access to use, land which the applicant does not legally possess. Obtainment of such right is a private matter between applicant and owner of that land

This authorization to make use of public water of the State is subject to existing rights, including any existing right held by the United State of the benefit of Indians under treaty or otherwise.

Nothing in this authorization shall be construed as satisfying other applicable, federal, state or local statutes, ordinances or regulations.

A certificate of water right will not be issued until a final examination is made.

This superseding permit shall be subject to cancellation should the permittee fail to comply with the above development schedule and/or to give notice to the Department of Ecology on forms provided by that Department documenting such compliance.

Signed this 20th day of February, 2013, at Spokane, Washington,

DATA REVIEW
OK *KT*

Department of Ecology

by *Keith L. Stoffel*
Keith L. Stoffel, Section Manager

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